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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Antolik, Jerrel )  
Examiner: Kackar, Ram N.  
Application No. 09/916,784 )  
Art Unit: 1763  
Filed: July 27, 2001 )  
Docket No. P0815  
For: Twist-N-Lock Wafer Area Pressure Ring )  
Date: July 2, 2003  
And Assembly )

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	13	20	00	X09 = \$	OR X18 = \$
INDEP CLAIMS	03	04	00	X42 = \$	OR X84 = \$
[] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid				\$140	OR \$280
Total				\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding office action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-1842. (Order No. P0815)
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1842 (Order No. P0815). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 7, 2003, please enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified patent application:

**Amendments to the specifications** are on page 2.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.